

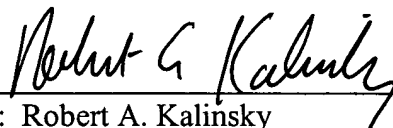
Remarks

Please consider and enter the above amendments and following remarks prior to calculation of the filing fee and examination of this application. Claims 1-22 have been canceled without prejudice or disclaimer. Claims 23-32 have been added and are fully supported.

Favorable consideration in the form of a Notice of Allowance is respectfully requested. The Examiner is encouraged to contact the undersigned attorney with any questions regarding this application.

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